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☞ The next session will be held with the First Baptist Church, Norwood, Stanly county, N. C., beginning on Thursday before the 2nd Sunday in October, 1934, at 11 o'clock a. m., with an introductory sermon.

OFFICERS

Moderator ..... Rev S Brooks
Vice-Moderator ..... Rev W W Colson
Recording Secretary ..... Lee Colson
Corresponding Secretary ..... S S Craig
Treasurer ..... W Barringer
Auditor ..... John T Tyson

Trustee Board—E T Tyson, L M Wall, W B Knotts, W A Ponds, W P Perry

Executive Board—Revs S Brooks, W G Flake, W M Crump, W W Colson, L J Colson, J W Dowdle, J P Sloan, C C Craig, Bro W Barringer

Field Missionary—Rev J P Sloan

Ordained Ministers

Rev W G Flake, route 1 ..... Norwood N C
" W M Crump, route 2 ..... Wadesboro, "
" L T Allen route 1 ..... Norwood "
" H C Carpenter route 1 ..... Norwood "
" W W Colson route 2 ..... Wadesboro "
" J C Massey route 2 ..... Waxhaw "
" C C Craig route 5 ..... Waxhaw "
" C L Lindsey route 2 ..... Wadesboro "
" S Tyson route 2 ..... Wadesboro "
" S Brooks route 1 ..... Wadesboro "
" W T Johnson ..... Wadesboro "
" L J Colson ..... Ansonville "
" G S Horne ..... Monroe "
" G W Lockhart ..... Monroe "
" W M Ingram route 1 ..... Lancaster S C
" H S Hyatt ..... Norwood "
" C B Bethea ..... Chesterfield S C
" T J Pearl .....
" O D McCollum .....
" W M Redfearn ..... Cheraw, S C
J W Dowdle, B T H ..... Monroe N C

Licentiate Ministers

Bro T J Gamble Waxhaw, N C | Bro H W Williams Ansonville, N C
" L W Watkins Norwood, | Thomas Allen Badin
A W McIlwaine

Churches and Pastor

Pleasant Hill
Red Hill—Rev C B Bethea ——— Chesterfield, S C
Thomasville—Rev R H L Crockett ——— Wadesboro N C
Mt. Pleasant—Rev L J Colson ——— Ansonville N C
E. Macedonia—Rev G S Horne ——— Monroe "
First B. C., Norwood—Rev O D McCollum
Garris Grove
Olive Grove—Rev L J Colson ——— Ansonville, "
Henderson Grove—Rev L T Allen ——— Norwood "
Moore Grove
Miller Grove
Philadelphia
Piney Grove—Rev T J Pearl
Antioch Rev G S Horne ——— Monroe "
1st B. C. Ansonville Rev W T Johnson ——— Wadesboro "
Mount Zion—Rev J P Sloan, route ——— Wadesboro "
West Macedonia
Rock Spring
Bennett's Grove ——— S M Dixon

Churches and Clerks

Pleasant Hill—C L Threadgill
Red Hill—Weldon Colson, route 2, Wadesboro N C
Thomasville—F P Pankey ——— Mt, Gilead "
Mt. Pleasant—Ellis Tillman, route ——— Wadesboro "
E, Macedonia—John Hyatt ——— Norwood "
1st B. C., Norwood—John Hyatt ——— Norwood "
Garris Grove—Fred Covington, route 2, Wadesboro "
Olive Grove—A R Kirby ——— Mangum "
Henderson Grove—W B Smith ——— Lilesville "
Moore Grove
Miller Grove
Philadelphia Miss Mary Perry Monroe, "
Piney Grove—S J Craig, route 5 ——— Waxhaw "
Antioch—E O Blount ——— Monroe "
1st B. C., Ansonville Barnard Diggs ——— Ansonville "
Mount zion—Clifford James ——— Badin "
West Macedonia
Rock Spring—Vermell Vaughn, route 2, Peachland "
Bennett Grove—Lenia McLendon, route. Wadesboro "

PROCEEDINGS

The 60th annual session of the Yadkin-Philadelphia Missionary Baptist Association held with the Pleasant Hill Baptist church, Ansonville, N. C., Thursday Oct. 5. 6. 7, 8, 1933. 11:45 a.m. on above date the house was called to order by the former moderator, Rev S Brooks, and the gentleman that was billed on the program to preach the introductory sermon ascended the rostrum.

Rev C C Craig lined hymn No. 562 and Rev W M Ingram read a part of the 6th chapter of the Gospel according to St. Matthew, and after a brief comment of same, Bro J D Miller led in prayer and sung No. 711.

The moderator arose and introduced the speaker for the hour in the person of Rev W M Ingram, who came forward and chose for a text the 12th verse of the above named chapter. The words of the text, "Forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors." Subject. "Forgiveness."

Rev Ingram preached a strong instructive sermon from this important subject, and closed by singing "walk in the light," etc. Rev C C Craig addressed the throne of grace. A sweet piece was chanted by Rev G S Horne.

Revs T J Pearl, W G Flake commented on the sermon,

Then Bros. H A Ponds and E T Tyson came forward and lifted a collection to $10.00. Then the Association stood adjourned. Benediction by Rev Craig.

Names of Those Who Paid The 25c Registration Fees :

Rev W W Colson	50c
" C C Craig	25c
" H A Ponds	30c
Lee Colson	30c
C F Knotts	25c
" S Brooks	25c
" W G Flake	25c
" J D Miller	25c
L J Colson	25c
C C Colson	25c
L M Wall	25c
" T J Pearl	40c
" O D McCollum	25c
S S Craig	25c
" G S Horne	25c
" W M Ingram	25c

W R Burch	25c
Tom Mason	25c
Clay Watkins	25c
' C L Lindsey	25c
' J W Dowdle	25c
' H S Hyatt	25c
H W Williams	25c
W P Perry	25c
' C B Bethea	25c
' N A Short	25c
L R Blunt	25c
W A Trull	25c
' W M Crump	25c
W Barringer	25c
W M Lynch	25c
J C Massey	25c
W B Knotts	25c
Rev S Tyson	25c
Rev J P Sloan	25c
Rev John Tyson	25c
Rev E T Tyson	25c
Rev Jim Ingram	25c

THURSDAY AFTERNOON

At 2:30 p. m. the Association re-assembled with Rev S Brooks, the moderator, presiding. Devotional was conducted by Rev J C Massey and brother H W Williams, Rev Massey lined hymn No. 872 & brother Williams read 6 verses of the 12th chapter Paul's Letter to Romans. Rev Massey approached the throne of grace. Then the moderator arose and announced the house open and ready for business. The minutes of the morning session was read and approved.

On motion that the program shall be the guide of this Association so far as it is consistent.

On motion to enroll the churches and delegates.

Pleasant Hill. H C Watkins, John Tyson, Thomas Medley
Red Hill. C C Colson
Mount Pleasant. L M Wall.
East Macedonia. H A Ponds.
1st B C., Nowood. Tom Mason
Garris Grove. W B and C F Knotts Fred Covington
Olive Grove. Tom Thomson,
Henderson Grove. Rev L F Allen

Moore Grove ..... Miller Grove .....
Philadelphia...W P Perry ..... Piney Grove .S S Craig
Antioch..L B Blount, W R Trull
1st B. C., Ansonville .W A Richardson.
Mt. Zion..W M Lynch. ... ...West Macedonia..J D Miller
Rock Spring..Jane Vaughn

Next on program was the moderator's address. He came before the Association and made his annual address to the delight of the Association at large.

Bev T J Pearl responded. On motion that the moderator's address go in the hands of a committee. Next was the report of the Secretary, which was adopted. Then the Treasurer's report was received.

On motion that the Auditor make a written report to this Association. Then the field missionary, Rev J P Sloan came forward and made his report, which was received. Rev W G Flake reported the work of the Executive Board. It was received.

Annual Report of Rec'g Sec'y of the Yad. Bap. Association

Mr. Moderator and Brethren of the Yadkin-Philadelphia Association at the close of the Association at the Thomasville Baptist church, Montgomery county, N. C. October 9. 1932.

In Treasury $34 70

On Dec. 1st. 1932. Given order on treas. for $25 00 to pay for printing the 1932 minutes. Left balance in treasury $9.70

On Nov. 1st. 1932. Rec'd from Rock spring Baptist church 2.30

for Rep. fees ..... Leaving bal. in treas. 11.00

On Sept. 9th. 1933. an order on treas. by program committee for $2.25

Bal. in treas. $8 75 Less 15c for postals. Sec'ys expenses for mailing etc. 50c. This 5th day of October A D 1933

I remain yours for the advancement of the work LEE COLSON

On motion that we will have a committee of 7 on officers as follows ; Bros L R Blount, C C Colson. W P Perry. E T Tyson. Tom Mason. L M wall & H C watkins

On motion that all visitors will come before the Asso-eiation and have a seat of welcome. The Revs S M Dixon, N A Short, R W Alsobrooks and W R Burch and A R Thomas and Rev W M Allen all came forward with many good words.

After which the committee on officers came in and made the following report :

Rev S Brooks ..... Moderator
Rev W W Colson ..... Vice-Moderator

Lee Colson ..... Cor. Secretary
Bro S S Craig ..... Corresponding secretary
Bro W Barringer ..... Treasuer
John T Tyson ..... Auditor
Trustee Board..Bros E T Tyson, L M Wall, W B Knotts, H A Ponds, W P Perry.

Executive Board Revs S Brooks, W G Flake, W M Crump. W W Colson, J W Dowdle, B T H., J P Sloan, L. J. Colson C C Craig, Brother W Barringer.

Song. Doxology. Benediction by Rev J C Massey,

THURSDAY NIGHT SESSION

At 7 p. m, the Association reassembled with the moderator in the chair. Praise service conducted by Rev H S Hyatt, who sung "I shall not be removed," etc., and then brother W B Burch led in prayer. After which the hour arrived for preaching. Revs G S Horne and S M Dixon ascended the rostrum to preach a doctrinal sermon. Rev Dixon lined hymn 704, and then Rev Horne read part of the 4th chapter of our Lord's Gospel according to St. Mark, and then prayer was offered by brother Stack Craig. 2nd selection 402, and then the moderatar arose and introduced the speaker for the hour in the person of Rev G S Horne, who came forward and selected for a text 2nd verse of the above read chapter. The words of the text, "And He taught them many things by parables, Subject: "The revealed will of God." The speaker dealt with the spiritual side of the subject, which was enjoyed.

Rev L J Colson chanted a sweet song. Namely, "I am not uneasy," etc., and then led in prayer.

Rev C B Bethea and brother S S Craig came forward and lifted a collection amounting to $5.30. Then the Master of Ceremony came forward and arranged the welcome addresses.

1. Welcome in behalf of the Sunday School by Miss Lorida Brooks. 2. In behalf of church by Bro Jno T Tyson. 3. In behalf of the pulpit by Rev W G Flake. 4. In behalf the 1st Baptist church, Ansonville, Bro W A Richardson. 5. In behalf of the Rocky Mt. A M E Zion church by Miss Zula Lilly. 6. In behalf of the Sunday School by Miss Annie White Ingram.

Rev T J Pearl and W M Ingram. Rev J W Dowdle responded to the words of welcome.

Words of welcome from the white citizens of Ansonville N C in behalf of the town of Ansonville by Prof. C G Lamples and from the Mayor of the town. Mr. Beasley.

In behalf of white Baptists by Mr E G Kimbrough.

Rev C B Beathea responded.

Then the appointing of homes. Song. Doxology. Benediction by Rev G S Horne.

FRIDAY MORNING SESSION

At 10:35 the Association met with the moderator presiding. Praise service was conducted by Revs C L Lindsey and J C Massey. Rev Lindsey lined hymn No. 703 and Rev Massey read Scripture lesson from 3rd chapter of our Lord's Gospel according to Mt. Matthew.

Rev Dowdle approached the throne of grace.

Then the moderator arose and announced the Association open and ready for business. The minutes of the previous session was read and stood approved.

On motion that a committee of 5 on finance—W A Trull, W A Richardson, S S Craig, W Barringer. W B Knotts. Committee of 3 on Place—Bros Tom Mason. H A Ponds, Tom Thomas.

A committee of 5 on Resolution—Revs J P Sloan, W M Ingram, T J Pearl, J C Massey, W M Crump.

A committee of 3 on Obituary—Revs C B Bethea, J W D Dowdle, Rev C L Lindsey,

Committee of 5 on Temperance—Rev C C Craig, O D McCollum, J D Miller, H W Williams, Rev G S Horne,

A committee of 3 on Program—Brothers C C Colson, E T Tyson, C F Knotts,

Committee of 5 on New Bodies—Revs H S Hyatt, J W Dowdle, L J Colson, J c Massey, W R Trull

Committee of 5 on Missionary—W A Richardson, W P Perry, Rev S. Tyson, John T Tyson, L R Blunt,

Then the Association stood adjourned.

At 11.45 the Association reassembled with the moderator in the chair. The hour having arrived for preaching, Revs. W M Allen and J A Little occupied the pulpit. Rev Little lined 153. Then Rev E H Martin addressed the throne of grace and 2nd selection No. 394. Then the moderator arose and introduced Rev W M Allen, who came forward and selected for a text Ephesians 3rd chapter and 11th verse. Words of the text; "According to the eternal purpose which he purposed in Christ Jesus our Lord."

Subjct: "The eternal purpose of God."

Rev Allen preached a heart felt and soul stirring sermon whchwas enjoyed by the Association.

Rev O D McCollum chanted a sweet song. Namely "God is God," etc. Prayer by Rev J P Sloan. Then Bros L M Wall and C A Snuggs came forward and lifted a collection of $4.00. Benediction by Rev W M Allen.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

At 3:45 the Association was called to order by the moderator. Praise service conducted by Rev W R Burch and J C Massey. Rev Burch lined hymn 224. Rev Massey read a part of the 33rd chapter of Deuteromy. Rev Pearl led in prayer and the moderator arose and announced the house open and ready for business.

The minutes of the morning session was read and approved, and Revs E H Martin and J A Little of the Zion Association came forward and made some timely remarks along the line of our work. Also Bro deacon W H Smith said many good things.

Rev S S Bennett came before the Association and said many good things along the line of training of children Then all committees were discharged to their work.

After which the committee on new bodies made their report. See report. Also the committee on temperance made their report. See report.

Then the Asscociation adjourned. Benediction by Rev W M Ingram.

FRIDAY NIGHT SESSION

At 7 o'clock the Association re-assembled with the vice moderator presiding. The praise service was conducted by the vice-moderator. After singing a sweet song, brother Jim Ingram addressed the throne of grace.

The hour having arrived for preaching, Revs C B Bethea and W M Allen ascended the rostrum to preach an educational sermon. Rev Allen lined hymn 562. Rev Bethea reak a Scripture lesson, 1st Division of the Psalms. Rev W M Ingram led in prayer. Second selection No. 674.

The moderator arose and introduced the speaker in the person of Rev C B Bethea, who came forward and chose for text the 7th, 8th and 9th verses of the 11th chap. of Job. Subject: "The unsearchable will of God."

The man of God preached a soul stirring and heart felt sermon. The speaker showed in his argument the impost sibility to all learn about God. The sermon was seasoned with the spirit of God.

Rev J P Sloan chanted a sweet song, namely "My Lord go'in to hold me in the hollow of His hand." etc.

Prayer was offered by Rev J H Spencer.

Then Rev W G Flake came forward and lifted the ministers' educational collection to the amount of $8.50.

Bro W A Richardson lifted the public collection amounting to $6.03. Total collection on education $14.53. Sung doxology. Benediction by Rev J P Sloan.

Ministers Pledge

Revs W G Flake	$1 00	Revs G W Lockhart	
L T Allen		W M Ingram	50
H C Carpenter		H S Hyatt	
W M Crump		J W Dowdle	50
W W Colson		C B Bethea	1 00
J C Massey		J P Sloan	1 00
C C Craig		T J Pearl	1 00
C L Lindsey	50	S M Dixon	1 00
S Tyson	50	S Brooks	50
W T Johnson	1 00	Brother H W Williams	50
L J Colson	1 00	Rev G S Horne	

SATURDAY MORNING SESSION

At 10.50 o'clock the Association was called to order by the moderator. Praise service was conducted by Rev T M Medley and Bro J A Ingram. Bro Ingram lined hymn 46 and prayer was offered by Bro Tom Thomas, and Rev Medley read for a Scripture lesson the 12th chapter of Paul's Letter to the Romans, and Bro W Barringer addressed the throne of grace.

Then the moderator arose and announced the Association open and ready for business. The minutes of the previous session was read and stood approved, and after a general discussion of the Rules of the Association, the Association stood adjourned.

At 1:10 p. m. the Association re-assembled for the missionary sermon, with the moderator in the chair.

Revs W T Johnson and L F Allen ascended the rostrum. Rev Allen lined hymn 653. Rev Johnson read the 28th chapter St. Matthew. Rev Dixon led in prayer. Hymn 961. Then the moderator arose and introduced the speaker for the hour in the person of Rev W T Johnson, who came forford and took for a text the 18th, 19th and 20th verses of of the above read chapter. The words of the text: "Go ye into all the world and preach the Gospel," etc. Rev Johnson preached a soul stirring sermon, which made our hearts burn within us while he talked with us. Rev L T Allen led in prayer. Bro W P Pearry came forward and lifted a collection amounting to $1.25. Benediction by Rev W T Johnson.

AFTERNOON SESSION

Saturday at 3 p. m. the Association reassembled with the moderator in the chair. Rev Dixon conducted the praise service. Rev Burch led in prayer and then the moderator arose and announced the Association open and ready for business. The minutes of the morning session was read and adopted.

On motion to give Rev R W Alsobrooks a letter of recommendation of his life.

On motion that Bro S M Dixon will be ordained at the Union at Mt. Pleasant.

On motion Rev J P Sloan will be the field missionary for 1934. Then the came forward and made their report. See report. Bro A W McDwaine came before the Association and joined by paying 50c. The Association stood adjourned. Benediction by Rev W G Flake.

SATURDAY NIGHT SESSION

At 7:30 p. m. the Association assembled with the moderator presiding. Motion that this Association will donate to Shaw University $5.00.

Motion that this Association will give to Brother Salem Tyson $10.00, who is in school at Shaw University.

Motion that Rev S Brooks will be delegate to the Baptist State Convention at Greensboro, N. C., and on part of Rev Brooks family, that Rev W T Johnson will go to the Convention, and that the Association will represent with $2.00, and will give to Rev Johnson $3.00.

The hour having arrived for preaching, Revs J P Sloan and T J Pearl took seats in the pulpit. Rev Littie lined 711 and the moderator arose and introduced the speaker in the person of Rev J P Sloan, who came forward and chose for a text Jeremiah 1st chap. and 4th verse. Words of the text: "Then the word of the Lord came unto me, saying," etc. Subject, "God calling for me."

Rev Sloan preached a strong sermon, which was enjoyed.

Rev C B Bethea addressed the throne of grace, and then Bros W A Richardson and H C Watkins came forward and lifted a collection to $7.06 On motion that this Association will have a standing vote of thanks to the good people of Pleasant Hill and the other good people of Ansonville for taking care of us so well. Sung Doxology. Benediction by Rev J P Sloan

SUNDAY MORNING SESSION

At 10:30, S. S. mass meeting, taught by Rev J C Massey. Collection 91 cents. At 11:30 a. m. Revs T J Pearl and W G Flake ascended the rostrum to preach the closing sermon. Rev Flake lined hymn 410, and Rev Pearl read the 2nd chapter of Acts. And then selected for a text the 1st verse of the above read chapter. The words of the text: "And when the day of Pentecost was fully come, they were all with one accord in one place." Rev Pearl preached a strong sermon from this important subject. Rev R W Alsobrooks led in prayer.

Bros W A Richardson, W P Perry came forward and lifted a collection to $7.18. Bro Matthew McLendon give $10.00 to the church. Total collection $17.18. Benediction by Rev T J Pearl.

LEE COLSON, Sec. REV. S. BROOKS, Mod.

APPENDIX

We, your committee on Resolutions, recommend that each preacher and delegate will pay 25c at each Association for registration fees, and the same shall go for christian education.

2. We further recommend that the Missionary and an educational sermon be preached and the money raised go for same.

3. We recommend that all the churches of this Association will maintain the missionary society.

4. We further recommend that church and Sunday School will also maintain the B Y P U.

5. We recommend that we will support our young people who are in school and are seeking an education elsewhere. Your committee—Revs T J Pearl, J C Massey, W M Ingram, W M Crump, J P Sloan.

We, your committee on Temperance, ask leave to report that we as christians, looking over the great field of God and seeing the great evil and sin of intemperance, we therefore recommend that all christians maintain the idea of Temperance in every walk of life,

and whereas, this great nation is desiring to nationalize whiskey, to to repeal the 18th amendment and bring the strong drink back to the public. We urge every christian to use his efforts against the use of strong drink. Your committee—Revs C C Craig, O D McCollum, J D Miller, H W Williams, G S Horne.

Committee on Obituary—We have carefully examined the letters from the varions churches, and find that our ranks have been broken by the death angel. Therefore we bow our heads in humble submission to Him who doeth all things well. From Piney Grove—3. From Red Hill 1, sister Olie Rorie. From Antioch 1. East Macedonia 1, sister Jennie Crump. Garris Grove 1. Pleasant Hill 3. deacon Essex Tyson, and others. Olive Grove 1. brother Will Thomas Mt Pleasant 1—Bro Primas McLendon. 1st B C., Ansonville 1—Bro Edmund Horne. We, your committee—Revs C B Bethea, J W Dowdle, C L Lindsey.

On New Bodies—We have examined the Pennett Grove church, and find it in good and regular standing. We recommend this church to fellowship to this Association. Your committee—Revs H S Hyatt J C Massey, L J Colson, Bro W A Trull Rev J W Dowdle.

On Place Committee—We, your committee on Place, beg leave to report : We recommend that the next session of theYadkin Philadelphia Association will be held with the first B. C., of Norwood, Stanly County, N C Your committee—Bro Tom Mason, H A Ponds, Tom Thomas,

We, your committee on finance ask leave to report :

Received from churches	$57.36
" foreign mission	1.00
" Public collection	13.83
Found in treasury	9.60
For education	25.03
Missionary collection	1.25
Total :	$108.07

Disbursements:

Paid moderator	$6 00
' vice moderator	3 00
' Recording secretary	8 00
' Corresponding secretary	3 00
' Auditor	1 00
' Ex. Cor. Sec.	1 00
' Treasurer	1 00
' Sexton	1 50
' W A Richardson	1 00
' Rev J P Sloan	4 60
' Secretary's expenses	55
' Bal. on program	25
' Pleasant Hill church	8 00
' Bro S E Tyson, in school	10 10
' To Shaw University	5 00
' Represented State Convention	2 00
' Rev W T Johnson on ex. to Convention	3 00
Total	$55 90
Bal. in Treasury	$49 07

Your Committee: Bros W A Richardson, W B Knotts, W A Trull, W.Barringer, C F Knotts

STATISTICAL TABLE

CHURCHES	Founded	Baptized	Dismissed	Rec'd by letter	Restored	Died	Membership	Val. church property	Pastor's salary	Rep'g Fees	Sunday of preaching	Money raised for all purposes	No. ministers
Pleasant Hill	1870	16	5		2	4	373	3000		$ 8 50	4	124 79	2
Red Hill	1872	6	1			1	176	2000		5 00	2	80 00	2
Thomasville	1868		1		1			2000		2 00	2		
Mt. Pleasant	1878	12	1	2		1	75	2000		4 00	1-3	216 00	2
E Macedonia	1883	5	1		2	1	81	1000		4 00	2	209 56	5
1st B C Norwood	1892		25					1500		5 25	1		2
Garris Grove	1886	9	1		4	1	80	2500		3 00	1-3	3 00	1
Olive Grove	1889					1	35			2 05	2	50 00	2
Henderson Grove	1895						20	500		2 00	4		
Moore Grove													
Miller Grove													
Piney Grove	1886	12		4		3	75	2000		5 00	2-4	300 00	5
1st C B Ansonville	1924		1	4		1	70	3000		4 00	1	200 00	3
Philadelphia	1871						25	2000		2 50	3		
Antioch	1895	3	2	1		1	61	1000		2 00	4		1
Mt. Zion	1921	8	2		5	2	41			2 00	4	200 00	4
W Macedonia	1907						12			1 16			
Rock Spring	1928	3			4		30			1 50	1	75 00	1
Bennett Grove	1928	9		3			30	100		2 20	1-3	75 00	1

CONSTITUTION

Article 1. This Association shall be known as the Yadkin Philadelphia Missionary Baptist Association of N. C.

Art. 2. This Association shall be composed of of regular Baptist churches, ministers and delegates in good standing and in full practice of the doctrines and faith.

Art. 3 The officers of this Association shall be a moderator, vice moderator, secretary, cor. sec., treasurer, auditor and executive board. Their duties respectively shall be such as are commonly exercised by these officers until their successors are chosen.

Art. 4, The object of this Association shall be to build up Baptist churches in its bounds, foster the educational and spiritual work of its members and cooperate with the State Convention in doing home mission work and thus help take the world for Christ.

Art. 5. This Association shall meet annually and shall be composed of not more than 3 delegates from each church with a letter containing 10c per capita of its membership and giving the condition of its membership of the church. The said meeting shall convene on Thursday at 11 a. m. before the 2nd Sunday in Oct. with an annual sermon, and continue until the business of the Association is completed.

Art. 6. All the visiting ministers and corresponding delegates who are in good standing in their churches shall be welcome with us to give counsel but not vote.

Art. 7. The treasurer must give bond for the amount of money and valuable papers in his hands.

Art. 8. This Association will give any minister of the Association $10.00 for each six weeks of school to be paid after he enters shool.

Art, 9. Each pastor will pay $1,00 for education and $1.00 for foreign missions.

Art. 10. Each preacher that is not pastoring will pay 50c. for education and 50c for foreign missions.

MINUTES

OF THE

47th Annual Session of The

Yadkin-Philadelphia Missionary Baptist

S. S. Convention

held with Red Hill Baptist church, route 2. Wadesboro, N C

July 21-23, 1933

OFFICERS

Rev W T Johnson ..... President
Rev L J Colson ..... vice-President
Bro C F Knotts ..... Rec. Secretary
Miss Minnie Lee Dockery ..... Cor. Secretary
Bro S J Craig ..... Treasurer
Bro C C Colson ..... Auditor

BOARD OP MANAGERS

Bros C W Wall, Blanche Barringer, James Tyson, W R Richardson, S. E. Tyson.

Compiled by C F KNOTTS

The next session will be held with the Mt. Zion Baptist church. Badin N. C. beginning Friday before the 4th Sunday in July. 1934

PROCEEDINGS

FRIDAY MORNING SESSION

10:45 former president called the house to order. Praise service by messengers from Pleasant Hill S. S. Revs J P Sloan, S E Tyson, occupied the rostrum to preach the missionary sermon. Rev Tyson lined hymn 131. Prayer by brother J A Ingram. A short selection led by brother W A Richardson. President introduced the speaker. Rev J P Sloan. His text Gen. 1st chap. 1st v. Subject, "I will make it beautiful. Rev Sloan preached a soul stirring sermon. Rev C B Bethea led in prayer. A short selection led by brother C F Knotts. Bros S E Ingram and S J Craig lifted an offering, $1.25. Recess for dinner.

FRIDAY EVENING SESSION

2 p. m. Praise service by messengers from Olive Grove and Ansonville. Scripture lesson, 6th chap. Rom. Rev W T Johnson led in prayer. President announced the convention for business. Proceedings of morning session was read and adopted. Motion that all visitors have seats of welcome, enrolling of churches, Supts. and delegates as follows: 1st name, Supt.

Pleasant Hill Bro F J Richardson. Miss Lorilla Brooks

Red Hill. C C Colson, Harrison Smith, Jr., Misses Catherine Davenport, Annie Kirby.

Thomasville. Bro F Pankey, Miss Alice Pankey, Bro Willie Colson.

Mt Pleasant. Laren M Mask, Miss Bertha Lee McLendon.

East Macedonia. Bro Jasper Ponds, Miss Johnsie Ponds.

Ist B. C. Norwood.

Garris Grove. W B Knotts, Misses Victoria Renick, Janie Smith.

Olive Grove. A R Kirby, Misses Minnie Lee Dockery Martha L Robinson.

Henderson Grove Moores Grove

Miller's Grove Philadephia

Piney Grove. S J Craig. Miss Ruby Covington, Carrie L Craig. Antioch. G R Blaknev, J T Blunt, Misses Alfreida Blakney, Odessa Blunt. Ist B. C. Ansonville

Bro Martin Tyson, Jr, Miss Lucille Tyson, Bro W A Richardson. Mt. Zion--J C Cato, Misses Mollie Bostic, Hattie Lynch. W Macedonia---------- Rock Spring--Bro J A Vaughn, Alex Little.

On motion a committee 0f 7 on officers Bros James Tyson, AR Kirby, W B Knotts, W A Richardson, F Panky, C W Wall, Miss Johnsie Ponds.

On motion to appoint all committees, On finance--Bros F J Richardson, J C Cato, Miss Minnie L Dockery.

On education--Revs C B Bethea, S E Tyson, Miss Lorilla Brooks. On resolutions Rev J P Sloan, Bros C C Colson, Jasper Ponds, Misses Lucille Tyson, Minnie L Dockery. On Obituary--Rev Sam Brooks, Willie Thomas, Marshall Mask. On Temperance--Rev C L Lindsey, S E Tyson, Misses Mollie Bostic, Viola Little, Martha L Robinson. On Place--Bro S J Craig, Misses Hattie M Lynch, Catherine Davenport. On devotion--Rev C B Bethea, Misses Ella Hatten, Ruby Curtney.

Next was the president's annual address. Response by Rev S Brooks. Motion that the president's address be received, Report from field missionary, which was good, and was received. Auditor and treasurer made their reports & was received and adopted. The committee on officers made their reports. See report. After installing the officers, Rev T J Pearl came forward and made some timely remarks, Rev W M Allen responded. Adjourn for supper.

FRIDAY NIGHT SESSION

At 7:45 the convention was called to order by the president Devotional exercises by the messengers from the Mt. Zion S S. After the devotional services, which was full of fire kindled by the Holy Ghost, the president arose and after a few remarks by our newly elected president, the service was turned over to the gentlemen billed to preach the doctrinal sermon. Revs W T Johnson and T J Pearl. Rev Pearl lined hymn 131. Rev Johnson read 18 verses of the 7th chap. of St John. Prayer was led by Rev W M Allen. 2nd hymn 132, then the vice moderator arose and presented the speaker Rev W T Johnson. Rev Johnson took his text from the 17th verse of the above named chap. Words of his text "If any man will do his will, he shall know of the doctrines whether it be of God or whether

er it be of men." Subject: The doctrine of Christ. Rev Johnson preached a soul stirring and a heart felt sermon, followed with a fervent prayer led by Rev Pearl. The fire was kept burning by a sweet selection led by Rev Flake.

Next was the offering lifted by Bros W A Richardson and A R Kirby amounting to $2.51. The pastor delivered the welcome address. Responded to by Rev Pearl. After the assigning of homes, dismissed by Rev Johnson.

SATURDAY MORNING SESSION

At 10 a. m. the convention assembled, conducted by the messengers from Garris Grove and East Macedonia S S The house was declared open and ready for business.

The hour having arrived for the topic, which was to be discussed "The model Sunday School." Rev T J Pearl who was billed to lead the discussion being present, came forward and delivered to the convention some strong and helpful points on the topic. He emphasized the fact that if we ever expect to have a model S S we must first have a model superintendent and teachers. Men led and guided by the Holy Ghost, he also stressed upon our minds the necessity of the pastors who will be interested in the S S and that they too should be and must be filled with the Holy Spirit, if we ever expect a model S S. Closed with a sweet song, led by Rev Flake. Then a paper was read by Missie Nannie M Colson. On motion we have 10 minutes recreation. After about 10 minutes the Convention returned back in doors. After singing a short selection, the rostrum was occupied by Revs C B Bethea, T J Pearl and J P Sloan. Rev Sloan lined hymn No 490 Prayer by Rev Pearl. Then the Convention chanted a sweet song. "Send me," etc., led by Miss Hattie Lynch. Then the president arose, and after a few timely remarks, presented to us the speaker to preach the educational sermon, Rev C B Bethea. Rev Bethea took his text from the 5th chap. of prophet Jer. 1st verse. Words "run ye to and fro through the streets of Jerusalem, and see now and know and seek in the broad places thereof if ye can find a man." Subject, "A man wanted." Rev Bethea preached until we were compelled to say "Oh how our hearts did burn within" while he preached to us by the way." Rev Flake sung a verse, "I'll be so glad when I get home." etc. Rev L J Colson led in prayer. After a few remarks by the president, while Bro J M Colson led a sweet song, "the Lord's been good to me," etc. Bro Charlie Dunlap from the

Pee Dee Convention and brother C W Wall lifted a collection amounting to $2.65. Dismissed for dinner.

SATURDAY EVENING SESSION

At 2 p. m. the convention was called to order, president in the chair. Praise service led by delegates from Red Hill and Piney Grove S.S. Minutes of previous session was omitted, On motion Rev W E Denard have a seat of welcome. On motion the finance committee do their work in the house. On motion the letters from each S S be read in the house and voted on by the convention. On motion that Bro W A Richardson continue his work as field missionary for 1934, On motion to donate two dollars to Shaw University. Then the topic : Is there room for improvement? was discussed by Rev R W Elliott. Dismissed by president.

7:30 p. m. the Convention was called to order by the president. Praise service conducted by messengers from Antioch and Mt Pleasant S. S.

After singing 2 verses of hymn 151, prayer was led by Rev Denard. Scripture lesson 22nd Proverbs. Prayer by brother J C Cato. Then the president turned the service over to the mistress of literary program, Miss Minnie Lee Dockery. who came forward and rendered a timely program in the way of encouraging our young people. Music furnished by the different choirs. The program was inspiring and uplifting. Bros H H Blunt and Thomas Thomas came forward. lifted an offering to amt. of $1.50. Dismissed by the president,

Bro C F Knotts. secretary. Rev W T Johnson, president

On resolution. We recommend that this convention convene on Fri. day before the 4th Sunday in July and close on Saturday night following with a missionary sermon at 11:30 Saturday a. m.

We recommend that each S S will send up to this convention through its Supt. 50c for educational purposes and that it shall not be used for no other purpose except for educating our young boys and girls.

On Education. 1st. Whereas. we see our people are suffering for real leadership. we recommend that our young ministers try to take a course in some good school. Sec. 2. We recommed that we encourage our people to send their children to christian schools, such as Shaw University and Thomas Institute. Sec 3. We further recommend that this S S convention make a donation to Shaw University at each of its sessions for education; Resp. Committee—Bro S Tyson, Rev C B Bethea Miss Lorella Brooks.

FINANCE REPORT

CHURCHES

Pleasant Hill	$3 00
Red Hill	3 00
Thomasvlle	1 50
Olive Grove	2 00
Garris Grove	3 35
Mt. Zion	2 25
1st C B Ansonville	2 50
E Macedonia	2 50
Mt. Pleasant	2 00
Antioch	1 25
Piney Grove	3 00
Total from church	26 35
Found in Treasury	00 49
Public collection	06 41
Grand Total	3325

Disbursement

President	2 00
Vice president	1 00
Rec Sec.	2 00
Cor. Sec	1 00
Sexton	1 50
Auditor	75
Treasurer	1 50
Red Hill church	2 50
Program	2 00
Bal. on minutes	2 20
Rev G W Flake	1 00
J M Colson. ex.S	75
	18 20
Total	33 25
Total Dist.	18 20
Bal. in Treas	15 05
Received from W. Macedonia	1 50
Balance	16 55

Committee—Bros J C Cato, F J Richardson, Miss Mollie Bostic
P S—Saturday night. collection $1 50 and 50c received from Rock Springs, turned over to Rev W T Johnson for Shaw University by C F Knotts, Sec.

CONTITUTION

Article 1. The name of this body shall be the Yadkin Philadelphia Missionary Baptist S S Convention. It shall be composed of all ministers of the Association and the Supt. of the S. S. Not more than three delegates from each church.

Article 2. The object of this convention shall be to establish and improve the S S convention and all the churches throughout the bounds of this Association and to awaken the general instruction in the religious and literary training of the young men and women, and to co-operate with the State S S convention in doing educational and missionary work.

Article 3. Officers of this convention shall be a president, vice president, rec. sec., cor. sec., treasurer, auditor and board of managers. No one shall be an officer of this convention unless he is a member in good standing in some missionary Baptist church in the field. No person shall be sent as a delegate to this convention who is not a member of a missionary Baptist S S in the field.

Art. 4. This convention shall meet on Friday before the 4th Sunday in July in each year at such place as may be agreed upon.

Art. 5. Each school belonging to this convention shall collect and send annually at each sitting 10c. per scholar. New schools may be represented upon the same terms.

Art. 6. This constitution may be altered or amended by a vote of two-thirds of the members present at any annual meeting,

Art. 7. No member or members of this convention shall be allowed to stand around on the church yard during the service hour except he or she have been excused. If they do, they shall pay a fine of 10c,

Art, 8. We recommend that the letters of the S S be read before the open house, and be received and approved with the full vote of house.

Compiled by J M Colson, rec.sec. Rev W G Flake, Pres.